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MATERIAL FABRICATION Entitled: This is an application of a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9(f) and the amounts shown in parentheses below have been employed in calculating the fee. Undersigned attorney hereby states that this is an application of a Small Entity. The following are enclosed: Specification (Pages) X 7 Sheet(s) of Drawings X 63 Claims (including 4 independent claims) X This application contains multiple dependent claim(s) PCT/RO/101, PCT/ISA/220, 210, PCT/IPEA/416, 409, 408 X Petition To Make Special __X Preliminary Amendment Our check totaling \$1177.00, calculated on the basis of the claims as amended by X any enclosed preliminary amendment as follows:

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Total Number of Claims in excess of 20 at \$18.00 (9.00) each
Number of Independent Claims in excess of 3 at \$80.00 (40.00) each 80.00
Multiple Dependent Claim Fee at \$270.00 (135.00)
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